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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
John POLK ) Group Art Unit: 3629  
Application No.: 09/975,241 ) Examiner: John Weiss  
Filed: October 12, 2001 ) Confirmation No. 2371  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENT )  
PROCESSING AND CHILD )  
SUPPORT DISBURSEMENT )  
PROCESSING BY A )  
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

This paper responds to the Office Action dated December 3, 2003. With this paper, Applicant also submits a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time and required fee, thereby extending the response period to June 3, 2004.

Remarks follow on page 2 of this paper.

Attachments to this Reply include: 1) a signed Declaration of John Polk Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 and accompanying exhibits 1-68; 2) a signed Declaration of Richard Vesper Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131; and 3) a signed Declaration of Lionel M. Lavenue Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131.